construction of CGHS dispensary building, Construction of a building for the dispensary will be subject to approval of the same by Planning Commission and availability of resources.

Physiotherapy course in Delhi University

2017. SHRI KAMAL AKHTAR: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Delhi University has started a three months physiotherapy course despite the fact that there exists a proper Bachelor of Physiotherapy course of four and a half years duration being offered by the same university;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of the reasons and rationale behind introducing such a course endangering thereby the health of common and poor people of the nation?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS): (a) and (b) The Department of Adult continuing Education & Extension of Delhi University had proposed to start a short term course on Physiotherapy and Sports medicine of three months duration. The course is not comparable with the full time degree course in Physiotherapy. The course will be titled as "orientation to Physical Fitnees and Sports medicine".

(c) The proposed course is a non-credit course and intended to give preliminary information about the subject. Being a non-credit course, the certificate will be awarded on the basis of attendance. The proposed course cannot be compared with any professional degree course.

Adulteration in milk

†2018. SHRI DATTA MEGHE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in a bid to earn more profit, not only private dairies, but also milk cooperatives adulterate packet milk with skimmed milk powder and white butter;

(b) if so, whether it is also a fact that packet milk sold abroad carry information of powder mixed on packets for consumers, and if it is not the case in our county, the action taken against such dairies; and

(c) the steps taken by Government to prevent such adulterations?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS): (a) to (c) Under PFA Rules, 1955 standards for different class of milk, including standarized milk and recombined milk has been prescribed. In standardized milk, milk shall be standardized by adjustment of milk solids. In recombined milk, products is prepared from milk fat, non-fat-milk solids and water.

The dairies in private and cooperative sector store skimmed Milk Powder and White butter produced during flush season and utilize the same in the lean season for manufacturing of milk and milk products. The skimmed milk powder and white butter may also be used in packet milk for standardization to specified fat and solid not fat percentage.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.